

INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS

2nd Meeting of WS2 (Financial Scams and Deceptive Practices)

On 17th July 2025, the MCA participated in the second meeting of WS2 (Financial Scams and Deceptive Practices) under the EBDS. The session focused on refining the work stream's scope, including a proposal to rename it. Discussions also explored potential deliverables such as developing a training programme on Ad Repository mining, establishing a process for forwarding scam-related evidence to the COM, raising awareness of DSC actions against online scams, and formulating a working definition of relevant scam types.

European Commission – BEREC High-Level Workshop

The MCA participated in a high-level workshop organised by the European Commission in collaboration with BEREC, held in Brussels on 15th July 2025. The event followed up on a previous workshop and formed part of ongoing discussions with national regulatory authorities aimed at supporting the Commission in the preparation of its proposals for the forthcoming Digital Networks Act.

Workshop of the European Board of Digital Services Network of Communications Experts

Experts from the MCA participated online in the workshop of the EBDS network of communications experts on 16th July 2025. The session, chaired by WG2, focused on communication strategies under the DSA, including how the Commission handles high-pressure scenarios, the role of SPP and DG CONNECT, and the communication resources available to DSCs. Discussions also addressed emerging topics such as public misunderstandings around the DSA, trusted flaggers, and the role of national authorities, concluding with a review of key messaging priorities and coordination needs.

13th Meeting of Working Group 3 of the European Board of Digital Services

On 16th July 2025, the MCA participated online in the 13th meeting of WG3 (Content Moderation and Data Access) under the EBDS. The agenda included updates on out-of-court dispute settlement, a discussion on future priorities for the group, and a demo of the Data Access Portal. The meeting also covered the proposed cooperation framework among DSCs and provided a timeline update on the Trusted Flagger Guidelines.

Workshop on the Review of the Numbering and Emergency Communications Related Articles in the EECC

Two MCA representatives participated in a hybrid workshop between the Code Review Forum Group (CRFG) within the CEPT/ECC Working Group

Numbering and Networks (WG NaN) and the European Commission on the 4th July 2025. The workshop was intended to present the outcome of discussions within CRFG on potential improvements to provisions in the European Electronic Communications Code (EECC) relating to technical areas of expertise of WG NaN, in particular numbering, number portability, emergency communications, and combating fraudulent ECS-based communications.

Ad-hoc meeting of the European Board of Digital Services

On 2nd July 2025, the MCA participated online in an ad-hoc meeting of the EBDS. The focus was on reviewing the updated draft Article 28(4) DSA guidelines concerning privacy, safety, and security for minors online, following the targeted public consultation. The meeting included a presentation of the main changes, and a discussion among Board members.

7th Meeting of Working Group 1 of the European Board of Digital Services (Horizontal and Legal Issues)

The MCA participated online in the seventh meeting of WG1 (Horizontal and Legal Issues) under the EBDS on the 1st July 2025. The agenda included updates on relevant court cases, discussions on legal matters such as cross-border intermediary services and DSC investigatory powers under Article 51 of the DSA, and the sharing of information with CAs. The group also reviewed minor and ancillary features, ongoing workstreams, and supervision of compliance with Article 24 of the DSA, concluding with a discussion on future deliverables.

PUBLICATIONS

DSC Annual Activity Report 2024

Published On 31/07/2025 Annual Report
MCA/IMD/25-5683

International News Week 14 2025

Published On 31/07/2025 News

Career Opportunity: Digital Services Specialist - EUDI

Published On 30/07/2025 Recruitment Jobsplus
permit no: 523/2025

International News Week 13 2025

Published On 24/07/2025 News

EMF Quarterly Report - Q2 2025

Published On 23/07/2025 EMF Reports

Key Market Indicators for Electronic Communications and Post - Q1 2021 to Q1 2025

Published On 23/07/2025 Data Report Sheet
MCA/R/25-5680

Telecom Offer and Price Developments - April to June 2025

Published On 22/07/2025 Pricing Developments
MCA/R/25-5684

The MCA welcomes new EU Guidelines to Protect Minors Online

Published On 21/07/2025 News

Monthly Newsletter - June 2025

Published On 18/07/2025 News

International News Week 12 2025

Published On 18/07/2025 News

Consumer Perception Survey on Fixed Broadband - 2025

Published On 18/07/2025 Broadband Internet
MCA/S/25-5644

Consultation and Proposed Decision on the Review of GO plc's Application for Funding

relating to the Provision of Universal Service Obligations on Electronic Communications Services during 2020

Published On 18/07/2025 Consultation
MCA/C/25-5682

International News Week 11 2025

Published On 10/07/2025 News

Draft RSPG Opinion on Long-Term Vision for the Upper 6 GHz Band

Published On 08/07/2025 News

Draft RSPG Report Assessment of Future Usage of the Frequency Band 470-694 MHz within the EU

Published On 08/07/2025 News

Career Opportunity: Technical Specialist

Published On 08/07/2025 Recruitment Jobsplus
permit no: 395/2025

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Published On 03/07/2025 News

LEGAL UPDATES

Legislation:

Publication of Act Number XVII of 2025 entitled 'The Postal Services (Amendment) Act, 2025' – published on the 11th July 2025.

MEDIA ACTIVITY



Television:

Date: 29.07.2025

Channel: FLiving

Programme: FLiving Show

Topic: Contract Summary and Changes to the Terms and Conditions

Participant: Yanika Buġeja

Date: 28.07.2025

Channel: NET TV

Programme: Bejnietna

Topic: Contract Summary

Participant: Yanika Buġeja

Radio:

Date: 28.07.2025

Channel: NET FM

Programme: Brunch ma' Marbeck

Topic: Roaming

Participant: Yanika Buġeja

Radio/TV:

Date: 21.07.2025

Channel: ONE

Programme: Morning Mix

Topic: Telecosts

Participant: Yanika Buġeja